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<ul> <li>5. [X] PTO Form 2038 in the amount of \$ 770.00 is enclosed.</li> <li>6. [ ] Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes).</li> <li>7. [ ] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line in the sentence: This is a [ ] Continuation, [ ] Division of Serial No</li> </ul>							
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8a. [ ] New formal drawings are enclosed.							
8b. [X] Priority of application Serial No. 97-15230 Filed: 12/03/97 in France is claimed under 35 USC 119.							
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NY, 10016; Registration No. 18,818; its attorneys to file this Declaration with full power of substitution and revocation and to transact all business in the Patent Office connected therewith.

- a. [X] The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.
- b. [ ] Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. [X] Recognize as associate attorney and address all future communications to:

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- 11. [X] A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by this amendment have been properly numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claims in the prior application.)
- 12. [X] I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. <u>09/555,906</u> as originally filed on <u>June 2, 2002</u>.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the above-identified application or any patent issuing thereon.

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